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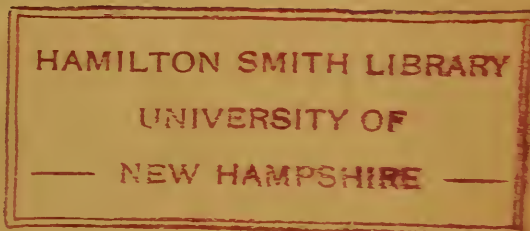
OF THE

# Town of Gilford

FOR THE

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15

1904





ANNUAL REPORTS  
OF THE  
SELECTMEN, TREASURER, HIGHWAY AGENTS,  
TAX COLLECTOR, LIBRARY TRUSTEES,  
AND SCHOOL BOARD  
OF THE  
TOWN OF  
G I L F O R D  
FOR THE  
YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1904.

ALSO A TABULAR STATEMENT OF BIRTHS,  
MARRIAGES AND DEATHS.

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RUMFORD PRESS,  
CONCORD, N. H.  
1904.

# Town Officers.

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Moderator,

PERRY E. HUNT.

Town Clerk,

HERBERT A. JONES.

Selectmen,

LEON E. MORRILL,

ANSEL F. GOVE,

JOHN D. COLBY.

Treasurer,

GEORGE W. MORRILL.

Overseer of Poor,

DANIEL H. ROWE.

Library Trustees,

HERBERT A. JONES,

PERRY E. HUNT,

WALTER S. WEEKS.

Auditors,

GUST A. COPP,

CHARLES E. SLEEPER,

Highway Agents,

CHARLES O. COPP,

MATTHIAS KIMBALL,

JOHN S. MORRILL.

Collector of Taxes,

JOHN G. WADLEY.

Supervisors,

HARVEY A. JEWETT,

JOHN L. ROLLINS,

FRANK GLIDDEN.

Police Officer,

JOHN G. WADLEY.

Board of Health,

JOHN L. ROLLINS,

AUSTIN B. WEEKS,

WILLIAM S. MARSTON.

Representative to General Court,

FRED J. POTTER.

# Inventory, April 1, 1903.

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	Number.	Valuation.
Polls	219	\$21,900 00
Improved and unimproved land and buildings	20809 1-2	328,308 00
Horses	227	12,387 00
Oxen	88	4,930 00
Cows	454	11,675 00
Other neat stock	369	7,198 00
Sheep	475	1,590 00
Hogs	1	12 00
Fowls	70	35 00
Carriages	6	350 00
Stock in bank and other corporations in this state		1,903 00
Money on hand at interest or on deposit		1,750 00
Stock in trade		19,860 00
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		\$411,898 00

# Appropriations and Assessments.

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State tax	\$ 726 75
County tax	1,137 40
Appropriation for current expenses	1,500 00
decorating graves	25 00
public library	100 00
repairs school house	250 00
highways and bridges	2,500 00
School tax by law	1,026 00
Overlay added	115 05
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	\$7,380 20
Total amount of inventory	\$411,898 00
Amount of inventory on property paying no highway tax	\$31,050 00
Tax on \$100 for highway and bridges	64
Tax on \$100 for all other purposes	1 20
Poll tax	1 84
Average tax on \$100 of inventory	1 796

# Treasurer and Selectmen's Report.

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## CASH RECEIVED FROM ALL SOURCES.

Cash on hand close of business Feb. 15, 1903	\$881 00
Insurance tax	18 75
Railroad tax	192 15
Savings bank tax	643 17
Literary fund	75 52
Redemption of J. M. Weeks place 1901 list	22 72
George Sanborn place 1901 list	41 17
B. F. Parker place 1901 list	45 00
D. F. Parker Fish Island 1901 list	6 29
John Aldrich place 1901 list	4 68
Interest on Julia A. Ladd fund	150 17
Bounty on hedgehogs from state	57 50
Redemption of M. M. Cole, Cole Island list 1899	2 05
Interest from Emily B. Sanborn fund	2 00
Interest from Ellen E. S. Wadleigh fund	3 25
Town clerk dog license money	180 00
J. G. Wadley, Col., abatements list 1902	43 20
"      "      " on list 1902	1364 67
"      "      " interest list 1902	22 13
W. H. Weeks on note No. 18	100 00
James R. Morrill on note No. 19	580 33
J. G. Wadley, Col., on list 1903	5760 00
"      "      " interest list 1903	1 76
"      "      " abatements list 1903	65 11
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	\$10262 62

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## STATE AND COUNTY TAXES.

Paid state tax	\$ 726 75
county tax	1,137 40
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	\$1,864 15

MINISTERIAL AND LITERARY FUND.

Paid G. A. Copp, treasurer, interest on literary fund	\$33 60	
G. A. Copp, interest on ministerial fund	48 00	
	—————	\$ 81 60

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

Paid Perry E. Hunt, treasurer, board of trustees appropriation for 1903 (see library report)	\$100 00
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SCHOOL DISTRICT ORDERS.

Paid Herbert A. Jones, treasurer :	
appropriation by law	\$1026 00
appropriation by vote of town for repairs	250 00
state literary fund	75 52
balance dog license money	140 02
	—————
	\$1491 54

DECORATING GRAVES.

Paid John G. Wadley, committee of Post G. A. R. appropriation 1903	\$25 00
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TUITION OF SCHOLARS.

In High School and Academies

Paid Laconia public schools	\$148 27	
N. H. L. and Biblical Institution	96 00	
	—————	\$ 244 27

SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Paid Rosie O. Sanders, member board of education	\$ 20 00	
Julia A. Gove, member board of education	20 00	
Daniel H. Rowe, member board of education	20 00	
Ethel Jewett, district clerk	3 00	
Herbert A. Jones, treasurer	6 00	
Martin M. Cole, truant officer		
April and Oct.	15 00	
	—————	\$ 84 00



# DAMAGE BY DOGS

Paid O. H. Weeks, damage to sheep	\$ 4 00
B. E. Wadley, " " "	29 50
W. E. Weeks, " " "	33 50
J. H. Weeks, " " "	9 00
C. H. Watson, " " "	4 00
J. H. Davis " " "	5 00
Jewell Gove,	8 00
E. M. Brown,	4 00
W. F. Mitchell,	5 00
L. E. Morrill, examination of sheep	10 40
Ansel F. Gove " " "	9 50
John D. Colby " " "	2 40
J. G. Wadley dog police	6 00
	<hr/> \$ 130 30

# BOUNTY ON HEDGEHOGS.

Paid John D. Colby	\$20 00
" " "	28 00
Ansel F. Gove	3 00
Leon E. Morrill	6 50
	<hr/> \$ 57 50

# TOWN OFFICERS.

Paid R. C. Morrill, election officer May	\$ 2 00
O. S. Roberts, " " Nov. 1902	
May 1903	4 00
S. E. Grant, election officer Nov. 1902	
May 1903	4 00
J. D. Colby, election officer Nov. 1902	2 00
H. A. Jewett, supervisor Mar. and May.	14 00
J. L. Rollins " " " "	14 00
Frank Glidden " " " "	14 00
Ansel F. Gove, selectman from Feb. 15,	
1903 to Mar. 11, 1903	14 25
Leon E. Morrill, selectman from Feb. 15,	
1903 to Mar. 11, 1903	11 25

Paid Fred J. Potter, selectman from Feb. 15,	
1903 to Mar. 11, 1903	7 50
J. G. Wadley, Col., list 1902	100 00
G. A. Copp, auditor	2 00
G. W. Morrill, treasurer	30 00
Herbert A. Jones, town clerk	34 47
D. H. Rowe, overseer poor	6 00
J. B. Morrill, election officer May	2 00
Carrie H. Gill, librarian	26 00
Ansel F. Gove, selectman, Mar. 11, 1903	
to Feb. 15, 1904	57 75
John D. Colby, selectman, Mar. 11, 1903	
to Feb. 15, 1904	58 50
Leon E. Morrill, selectman, Mar. 11, 1903	
to Feb. 15, 1904	68 25
G. A. Copp, constable, Mar. 10 and May	
12, 1903	4 00
C. W. B. Davis, constable, May	2 00
	<hr/> \$ 477 97

ABATEMENTS.

Paid J. G. Wadley, Col., list 1902	\$43 20
J. G. Wadley, Col., list 1903	65 11
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	\$ 108 31

SCHOOL BOOKS AND SUPPLIES.

Paid Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., book	\$ 4 40
D. H. Rowe, cash, paid express	1 80
City Laconia, supplies	4 05
American Book Co., books	36 26
Ginn & Co., books	1 08
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., books	2 20
Benj. H. Sanborn & Co., books	3 50
City Laconia, supplies	28 87
D. H. Rowe, cash paid for books bought	
of Ginn & Co.	27 61
	<hr/> \$ 109 77

JULIA A. LADD FUND.

Paid Mrs. G. O. Davis, aid to D. S. Foster	\$100 17
J. D. Colby, aid to D. S. Foster	10 00
Rebecca Jewett	40 00
	<hr/> \$150.17

EMILY B. SANBORN FUND.

Paid C. H. Gove, labor on lot	\$ 2 00
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ELLEN E. S. WADLEIGH FUND.

Paid S. R. Wintworth, labor on lot	3 25
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HIGHWAYS AND BRIDGES.

Paid C. A. Copp, cash paid E. O. White with 6 horses and two men	\$ 141 25
J. S. Morrill, cash paid D. B. Colby & Son, bridge plank	35 16
J. S. Morrill, cash paid E. O. White with 6 horses and 2 men	76 50
Matt Kimball, cash paid E. O. White with 6 horses and 2 men	278 30
Matt Kimball, cash paid W. W. Hobbs building culvert by contract	50 00
Matt Kimball, cash paid for points and bolts for road machine	4 50
Matt Kimball, cash paid for 630 bridge plank at 18 per m.	\$11 34
Matt Kimball, cash paid Cyprian Bedard for grade	3 00
C. O. Copp, cash paid C. H. Gove smith-work, \$3.45, J. G. Wadley, supplies	\$1.35 4 80
Matt Kimball, pay roll Feb. 15 to Mar. 1903	67 02
Matt Kimball, pay roll Mar. 10 to April 1	12 20
J. S. Morrill, pay roll from Mar. 10 to April 1	6 30
C. O. Copp, pay roll from Feb. 15 to Mar. 1, 1903	\$175 17

Paid C. O. Copp, pay roll Mar. 10 to April 1	44 50
Matt Kimball, pay roll April	2 80
C. O. Copp, " " "	22 72
J. S. Morrill " " "	55 00
C. O. Copp, " " May	64 05
J. S. Morrill, " " "	58 47
Matt Kimball, " " "	162 25
Matt Kimball, " " June	150 99
J. S. Morrill, " " "	91 90
C. O. Copp, " " "	20 30
C. O. Copp, " " July	39 30
J. S. Morrill " " "	10 03
Matt Kimball, " " "	3 85
C. O. Copp, " " Aug.	24 15
C. O. Copp, " " Sept.	11 24
Matt Kimball, " " "	69 89
J. S. Morrill, " " Oct.	9 35
Matt Kimball " " "	50 15
C. O. Copp, " " "	19 11
Matt Kimball, " " Nov.	38 71
C. O. Copp, pay roll November	46 50
J. S. Morrill, " " "	12 46
J. S. Morrill, " " December	14 74
C. O. Copp, " " "	21 63
Matt Kimball " " "	10 12
C. O. Copp, " " January 1904	153 95
Matt Kimball, " " " "	60 81
J. S. Morrill, " " " "	159 84
C. O. Copp, " " to February 15	66 97
J. S. Morrill, " " " " "	104 63
Matt Kimball, " " " " "	36 56
<hr/> \$2502 51	

#### MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid E. C. Eastman, book and supplies	\$15 10
Weeks Bros., printing check list	5 00
Laconia Press, printing reports	48 00

Paid David Hatch, fixing settees	2 82
J. B. Morrill, housing road machine	1 50
J. G. Randlett, damage winter road	4 00
M. E. Durgin, " " "	5 00
M. B. Plumer, copying conveyance	4 90
L. E. Morrill " standard	10 00
Mrs. P. J. Frochock, damage winter road	5 00
F. R. Weeks, flag pole and fixings, District No. 9	8 00
J. G. Hatch, 1 cord slab wood	2 50
J. M. Guay, lettering guide boards	14 00
N. L. Word, sawing wood and cleaning town house	11 75
A. B. Weeks, damage winter road	4 00
J. D. Colby, stock and making guide boards	4 86
Dr. E. P. Hodgson, return births and deaths	7 75
Dr. J. A. Wrisley, return of births and deaths	2 00
H. A. Jones, care and supplies for street lights	49 47
J. D. Colby, cash paid, expenses as Selectman	3 15
A. F. Gove, cash paid, expenses as Selectman	3 11
L. E. Morrill, cash paid, expenses as Selectman	4 85
H. P. Weeks, flag pole and fixings, District No. 10	7 50
C. P. Hunt, glass and setting	1 00
A. F. Gove, copying tax book	3 00
H. A. Jones, Town Clerk, supplies	5 00
	<hr/> \$ 223 26

# TOWN NOTES.

Paid Wm. H. Weeks, note No. 12	\$140 16
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Paid James R. Morrill, note No. 10	580 33	
Roxanna S. Rand, " " 5	726 61	
	<u>1,447 10</u>	

# TRUST FUND ACCOUNT.

## SARAH P. HUNT FUND.

1900.		
May 25	Deposited Laconia Savings Bank	\$100 00
1903.		
Feb 15	Balance	107 80
1904.		
Jan. 1	Dividend	3 23
	Balance	<u>\$ 111 03</u>

## SIMEON P. HEATH FUND.

1903.		
Jan 22	Deposited in Laconia Savings Bank	\$ 60 00
1904.		
Jan 1	Dividend	1 50
	Balance	<u>\$61 50</u>

## SAMUEL H. BLAISDELL FUND.

1902.		
Oct 6	Deposited Laconia Savings Bank	\$100 00
1903.		
Jan 1	Balance	100 75
1904.		
Jan 1	Dividend	3 03
	Balance	<u>\$103 78</u>

## ELIZA BLAISDELL FUND.

1901.		
Oct 4	Deposited Laconia Savings Bank	\$29 91
1903.		
Jan 15	Balance	39 71

Mar 4	Deposited	4 46	
	Balance	44 17	
1904.			
Jan 1	Dividend	1 25	
	Balance		\$45 42
	Book No. 4410 Belknap Savings Bank		
	balance due		\$13 39

LUCY M. RAND FUND.

1902.			
Nov 11	Deposited City Savings Bank	\$151 00	
1904.			
Jan 1	Dividend	4 93	
	Balance		\$155 93

PHILENA M. SANBORN FUND.

1903.			
Jan 22	Deposited Laconia Savings Bank	\$100 00	
1904.			
Jan 1	Dividend	2 76	
	Balance		\$102 76

EMILY B. SANBORN FUND.

1898.			
Feb 14	Deposited Laconia Savings Bank	\$350 00	
1903.			
Feb 15	Balance	365 85	
1904.			
Jan 1	Dividend	12 03	
Feb 15	Balance	377 88	
	Withdrawn	2 00	
	Balance		\$375 88

ELLEN E. S. WADLEIGH FUND.

1901.		
Oct 4	Deposited Laconia Savings Bank	\$200 00
1903.		
Feb 15	Balance	206 32
1904.		
Jan 1	Dividend	6 22
	Balance	212 54
Feb 15	Withdrawn	3 25
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	Balance	\$209 29

JULIA A. LADD FUND.

1896		
Aug 18	Deposited New Hampshire Savings Bank	\$1000 00
1903.		
Feb 11	Balance	1107 83
1904.		
Feb 9	Withdrawn	90 00
	Balance	1017 83
	Dividend No. 116	38 80
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Feb 15	Balance	\$1056 63
1896.		
Aug 17	Deposited Loan and Trust Savings Bank	\$1215 68
1903.		
Feb 11	Balance	1317 54
July 1	Dividend	43 74
1904.		
Feb 9	Balance	1361 38
	Withdrawn	60 17
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15	Balance	\$1301 11
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Total Amount Trust Fund		\$2357 74



# RECAPITULATION.

## DR.

To cash received from all sources	\$10,262 62
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## CR.

By paid State and County tax	\$1864 15
Ministerial and Literary fund	81 60
Public Library	100 00
School District orders	1491 54
Decorating graves	25 00
Tuition of Scholars	244 27
School District Officers	84 00
Town Officers	477 97
School books and supplies	109 17
Julia A Ladd fund	150 77
Abatements	108 31
Highway and Bridges	2502 51
Miscellaneous bills	223 26
Emily B Sanborn fund	2 00
Ellen E. S. Wadleigh	3 25
Damage by dogs	130 30
Bounty on hedgehogs	57 50
Town notes	1447 10
Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1904	1159 92
	<hr/> \$10262 62

# FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN

FEB. 15, 1904.

## LIABILITIES.

Due on town notes Feb. 15, 1903	\$3,151 53
Interest accrued since	126 06
Hired on notes	680 33
	<hr/> \$3,957 92

Less notes and interest paid	1447 10	
Due on town notes Feb. 15, 1904	\$2,510 82	
Balance in favor of town	329 74	
	<hr/>	\$ 2,840 56

ASSETS.

Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1904	\$1,159 92	
Due on tax list of 1903	1,555 09	
from tax sales account	125 55	
	<hr/>	\$2,840 56
Due on town notes Feb. 15, 1903	\$3,151 53	
1904	2,510 82	
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Decrease in note indebtedness		\$640 71
Decrease in indebtedness	\$944 94	
Net debt Feb 15, 1903	615 20	
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Balance in favor of town Feb. 15, 1904		\$ 329 74

GEORGE W MORRILL, Treasurer.

LEON E. MORRILL,	} Selectmen
ANSEL F. GOVE,	
JOHN D. COLBY,	

We, the undersigned auditors of the town of Gilford, have examined the foregoing accounts of the Treasurer and Selectmen of said town and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GUST A. COPP,	} Auditors.
CHAS. E. SLEEPER,	

# Tax Collector's Report.

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Due town Feb. 15, 1902	\$1,407 87
Paid cash, list 1902	\$1,364 67
abatements, 1902	43 20
	<hr/> \$ 1,407 87
Interest collected and paid treasurer	\$22 13
Commitment on list of 1903	\$7,380 20
Paid cash     "     "     " 1903	\$5,760 00
abatements     "     " 1903	65 11
Due town Feb. 15, 1904	1555 09
	<hr/> \$ 7,380 20
Interest collected and paid treasurer	\$1 76

JOHN G. WADLEY, Collector

We, the undersigned Auditors of the town of Gilford, have examined the foregoing accounts of the tax collector of said town and find them correctly cast and properly vouched, and that he has submitted his books for examination and paid over all moneys collected by him according to law.

GUST A. GOPP,  
CHAS. E. SLEEPER,     } Auditors.

# Highway Agents' Report.

MATTHIAS KIMBALL, Agent from Feb. 15, 1903, to March 11, 1903, in account with the town of Gilford.

## CASH RECEIVED.

April 4, 1903, To cash received of town, \$67 02

## CASH PAID OUT.

Feb.	1903, Matthias Kimball,	\$ 4 80
	“ “ use of horses, \$3 80	
	“ “ labor	75 4 55
	H. G. Bagley, labor	4 20
	A. R. Lacy, labor	1 57
	J. F. Lacy, labor	1 57
	A. F. Parker, labor	60
	Will Davis, labor	1 95
	E. A. Warner, labor	1 85
	R. C. Morrill, labor	6 00
	J. S. Sanders, labor	2 45
	O. V. Rand, labor	2 92
	Miss M. B. Leavitt, labor	1 95
	O. S. Roberts, labor	3 10
	A. B. Sawyer, labor	1 05
	J. O. Blaisdell,	75
	J. N. Ames, labor	2 40
	Daniel Leavitt, labor	1 80
	H. A. Jewett, labor	3 25
	B. R. Jewett, labor	45
	Geo. W. Sanborn, labor	1 10
	A. B. Dockham, labor	75
	David Gonne, labor	45
	G. H. Crosby, labor	3 37
	J. Gove, labor	7 47
	J. R. Jones, labor	2 45
	A. Pardis,	1 42
	A. F. Gove,	2 80

MATTHIAS KIMBALL, Agent from March 11, 1903 to Feb.  
15, 1904 in account with the town of Gilford.

CASH RECEIVED.

Apr. 4, 1903,	Received of town	\$ 12 20
May 2,	" " "	2 80
June 13,	" " "	440 55
June 20,	" " "	50 00
July 3,	" " "	150 99
Sept. 6,	" " "	3 85
Oct. 3,	" " "	74 39
Nov. 7,	" " "	61 49
Dec. 5,	" " "	38 71
Feb. 6, 1904	" " "	73 93
Feb. 15,	" " "	36 56
		<hr/> \$ 945 47

CASH PAID OUT.

June 13, 1903,	Elmer O. White, labor on high- way 2 men and 6 horses with road machine	278 30
" 20	W. W. Hobbs, building culvert by contract	50 00
Oct. 3	One point and bolts for road machine	4 50
Nov. 7	630 ft bridge plank at \$18 per M	11 34
Feb. 6 1904	Grade bought of Cypian Bedard	3 00
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Mar. 1903,	Matthias Kimball, agent	1 60
Apr.	" " "	1 00
May	" " "	27 00
June	" " "	25 40
July	" " "	1 00
Sept.	" " "	12 00
Oct.	" " "	7 20
Nov.	" " "	1 00
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Dec. 1903, Matthias Kimball, agent	2 00	
Jan. 1904, " " "	3 00	
Feb. " " "	4 00	
	<hr/>	85 20
May 1903, Matthias Kimball, use of horses	4 00	
June " " " "	20 40	
Sept. " " " "	6 00	
Oct. " " " "	2 40	
Jan. 1904 " " " "	3 00	
Feb. " " " "	2 80	
	<hr/>	38 60
Jan, 1904, Matthias Kimball hand	2 25	
Feb. " " "	2 10	
	<hr/>	4 35
Mar. 1903, A. R. Lacy, labor	1 80	
May " " " "	11 02	
June " " " "	13 95	
Sept. " " " "	10 27	
Oct. " " " "	7 50	
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Mar. 1903, W. S. Davis		30
Mar. 1903, J. F. Lacy, labor	1 80	
May " " " "	11 02	
June " " " "	13 95	
Sept. " " " "	9 75	
Oct. " " " "	7 50	
	<hr/>	44 02
Mar. 1903, J. Gove, labor	3 25	
May " " " "	75	
Nov. " " " "	75	
Jan. 1904, " " " "	5 82	
Feb. " " " "	2 00	
	<hr/>	12 57
Mar. 1903, G. H. Crosby, labor	45	
May " " " "	3 00	
Dec. " " " "	3 00	
	<hr/>	6 45

Mar. 1903, C. W. Hunt, labor	60	
May " " " "	9 80	
Jan. 1904, " " " "	70	
Feb. " " " "	68	
	<hr/>	11 78
Mar. 1903, Thomas Dame, labor	1 80	
Feb. 1904, " " " "	15	
	<hr/>	1 95
Mar. 1903, A. F. Gove, labor	60	
May " " " "	12 20	
Jan. 1904, " " " "	1 40	
Feb. " " " "	1 65	
	<hr/>	15 85
Apr. 1903, J. E. Sanborn, labor	45	
May " " " "	3 75	
Feb. 1904, " " " "	1 50	
	<hr/>	5 70
Apr. 1903, A. H. Bacon, labor		1 35
Sept. 1903, T. H. Worrall		9 00
May 1903, C. W. Dame, labor	15 00	
June " " " "	13 50	
	<hr/>	28 50
May 1903, J. P. Davis, labor	3 75	
June " " " "	6 60	
Oct. " " " "	3 75	
	<hr/>	14 10
May 1903, C. H. Foss, labor	1 50	
June " " " "	3 75	
	<hr/>	5 25
May 1903, B. R. Jewett, labor	2 10	
Nov. " " " "	3 90	
	<hr/>	6 00
May 1903, J. R. Morrill, labor	2 55	
Nov. " " " "	3 45	
	<hr/>	6 00

May	1903,	A. D. White,	labor	16	15	
Nov.		" "	" "	6	30	
						22 45
May	1903,	C. C. Eaton,	labor			10 50
May	1903,	O. D. Collins,	labor	2	19	
Nov.		" "	" "	2	35	
Jan.	1904,	" "	" "	1	05	
Feb.		" "	" "	1	22	
						6 81
May	1903,	C. E. Sleeper,	labor	10	82	
Sept.		" "	" "	12	90	
Jan.	1904,	" "	" "	1	35	
						25 07
May	1903,	P. E. Hunt,	labor	2	25	
Jan.	1904,	" "	" "		30	
Feb.		" "	" "		22	
						2 77
May	1903,	A. F. Parker,	labor	5	70	
June		" "	" "	6	75	
July		" "	" "	2	85	
Sept.		" "	" "	9	97	
Oct.		" "	" "	1	50	
Jan.	1904,	" "	" "		45	
Feb.		" "	" "		45	
						27 67
May	1903,	O. S. Roberts,	labor	1	50	
June		" "	" "	7	50	
Dec.		" "	" "		75	
Jan.	1904,	" "	" "	2	10	
Feb.		" "	" "		85	
						12 70
May	1903,	Alfred Roberts,	labor	1	50	
June		" "	" "		75	
						2 25
June	1903,	G. W. Sanborn,	labor	7	25	
Oct.		" "	" "	3	30	
Jan.	1904,	" "	" "	1	97	
						12 52



June 1903, A. B. Sawyer, labor		2 97
May 1903, David Gonyer, Jr., labor	4 20	
June " " " "	14 70	
	<hr/>	18 90
June 1903, G. B. Sanders		5 25
June 1903, David Gonyer, labor	45	
Jan. 1904, ditto "	60	
Feb. ditto "	60	
	<hr/>	1 65
June 1903, R. C. Morrill, labor		3 75
June, 1903, J. S. Sanders, labor		\$ 4 07
Oct. J. B. Morrill "	\$5 00	
Nov. J. B. Morrill, "	1 22	
	<hr/>	6 22
Oct. W. W. Hobbs, "		7 00
Oct. Fred J. Potter, "		5 00
Nov. J. N. Ames, "	2 75	
Dec. J. N. Ames, "	50	
Jan. 1904, J. N. Ames, "	7 70	
Feb. J. N. Ames, "	4 05	
	<hr/>	15 00
Nov. 1903, Daniel Leavitt, "	2 07	
Dec. Daniel Leavitt, "	22	
Jan. 1904, Daniel Leavitt, "	3 15	
Feb. Daniel Leavitt, "	1 57	
	<hr/>	7 01
Nov. 1903, F. M. Gilman, "		45
Nov. C. H. Collins, "	5 62	
Jan. 1904, C. H. Collins, "	3 82	
Feb. C. H. Collins, "	82	
	<hr/>	10 26
Dec. 1903, J. O. Blaisdell, "	3 65	
Jan. 1904, J. O. Blaisdell, "	75	
Feb. J. O. Blaisdell, "	50	
	<hr/>	4 90
Jan. 1904, Henry Bagley, "	4 20	
Feb. Henry Bagley, "	2 95	
	<hr/>	7 15

Jan. 1904	C. W. B. Davis,	"		90
Jan.	P. W. Davis,	"		90
Jan.	A. S. Davis,	"		90
Jan.	C. W. Wallace,	"		1 80
Jan.	S. W. Smith,	"	4 50	
Feb.	S. W. Smith,	"	2 25	
			<hr/>	6 75
Jan. 1904	O. H. Weeks,	"		1 00
Jan.	F. C. Dolloff,	"		60
Jan.	T. E. Hunt,	"		30
Jan.	J. R. Jones,	"	1 05	
Feb.	J. R. Jones,	"	45	
			<hr/>	1 50
Jan. 1904	C. E. Lougee,	"	2 10	
Feb.	C. E. Lougee,	"	1 35	
			<hr/>	3 45
Feb. 1904	A. B. Dockham,	"		1 95
Nov. 1903	H. A. Jewett,	"	8 85	
Jan. 1904	H. A. Jewett,	"	3 15	
Feb.	H. A. Jewett,	"	2 45	
			<hr/>	14 45

MATTHIAS KIMBALL,

Highway Agent.

JOHN S. MORRILL, Highway Agent, from Mar. 11, 1903, to  
Feb. 15, 1904, in account with the town of Gilford.

CASH RECEIVED.

Apr. 4, 1903,	Received of town	\$ 6 30
May 2,	" "	55 00
June 6,	" "	58 47
July 3,	" "	203 56
Aug. 1,	" "	10 03
Nov. 7,	" "	9 35
Dec. 5,	" "	12 46
Jan. 2, 1904,	" "	14 74

Feb. 6, 1904	Received of town	159 84	
Feb. 15,	" "	104 63	
		<hr/>	\$634 38

### CASH PAID OUT.

July 3, 1903,	D. B. Colby & Son, bridge lum- ber, \$34.22, H. A. Jones, spikes, \$.24, C. F. Locke, dynamite, \$.70	\$35 16	
	Elmer O. White, labor on high- way, 2 men, 6 horses, with road machine	76 50	
		<hr/>	III 66
Mar. 1903,	John S. Morrill, agent	\$ 1 00	
Apr.	" " "	7 00	
May	" " "	10 20	
June	" " "	25 80	
July	" " "	2 70	
Oct.	" " "	6 20	
Nov.	" " "	2 80	
Dec.	" " "	80	
Jan. 1904,	" " "	5 40	
Feb.	" " "	7 20	
		<hr/>	\$69 10
Apr. 1903,	John S. Morrill, use of horse	30	
May	" " "	1 00	
June	" " "	1 20	
July	" " "	50	
Oct.	" " "	60	
Feb. 1904,	" " "	80	
		<hr/>	4 40
Mar. 1903,	P. C. Dow, labor	52	
Apr.	" " "	4 50	
Jan. 1904,	" " "	4 43	
Feb.	" " "	5 10	
		<hr/>	14 55

Mar. 1903, J. L. Rollins, labor	52	
May " " "	75	
Jan. 1904, " " "	2 02	
Feb. " " "	3 15	
	<hr/>	6 44
Mar. 1903, F. B. Grant, labor	52	
Apr. " " "	9 00	
May " " "	3 00	
July " " "	2 27	
Nov. " " "	1 12	
Jan. 1904, " " "	9 15	
Feb. " " "	2 85	
	<hr/>	27 91
Mar. 1903, S. E. Grant, labor	\$ 52	
Apr. " " "	4 50	
May " " "	4 75	
July " " "	1 27	
Nov. " " "	1 12	
Jan. 1904, " " "	1 80	
Feb. " " "	52	
	<hr/>	\$14 48
Mar. 1903, Bethuel Glidden, labor	52	
Apr. " " "	8 25	
Jan. 1904, " " "	3 67	
Feb. " " "	4 64	
	<hr/>	17 08
Mar. 1903, H. L. Carr, labor	1 05	
May " " "	3 00	
June " " "	75	
Jan. 1904, " " "	6 97	
Feb. " " "	4 95	
	<hr/>	16 72
Mar. 1903, Mrs. L. F. Frohock, labor	1 65	
May " " "	3 00	
June " " "	5 40	
Dec. " " "	1 05	
Jan. 1904, " " "	6 15	

Feb. 1904	Mrs. L. F. Frohock, labor	3 44	
		<hr/>	20 69
Apr. 1903,	John Fields, labor	2 10	
May	" " "	37	
		<hr/>	2 47
Apr. 1903,	G. W. Lamprey, labor	8 10	
Nov.	" " "	2 25	
Jan. 1904,	" " "	9 00	
Feb.	" " "	2 77	
		<hr/>	22 12
Apr. 1903,	B. C. Glidden, labor	3 00	
July	" " "	52	
Jan. 1904,	" " "	9 67	
Feb.	" " "	5 92	
		<hr/>	19 11
Apr. 1903,	Mrs. C. F. Morrill, labor	\$3 00	
June	" " " "	3 45	
Oct.	" " " "	1 50	
		<hr/>	\$ 7 95
Apr. 1903,	W. I. Harris, labor	75	
May	" " "	1 50	
Jan. 1904,	" " "	1 05	
Feb.	" " "	4 50	
		<hr/>	7 80
Apr. 1903,	J. F. Flanders, labor	4 50	
June	" "	6 15	
		<hr/>	10 65
May 1903,	G. O. Davis, labor	4 50	
Dec.	" " "	90	
Jan. 1904,	" " "	14 70	
Feb.	" " "	6 45	
		<hr/>	26 55
May 1903,	Mark Harris, labor	3 00	
June	" " "	1 27	
Dec.	" " "	22	
Jan. 1904,	" " "	7 05	
Feb.	" " "	3 30	
		<hr/>	14 84

May 1903, E. M. Brown, labor		4 50
May 1903 D. B. Colby, labor	3 00	
Oct. ditto "	30	
Nov ditto "	1 50	
Jan. 1904 ditto "	6 00	
Feb. ditto "	4 27	
	<hr/>	15 07
May 1903 Daniel Frohock, heirs of, labor	3 00	
June ditto "	60	
	<hr/>	3 60
May 1903 W. E. Hoyt, labor		2 25
June 1903 Miss M. B. Leavitt, labor	\$1 95	
Jan. 1904 ditto "	3 94	
Feb. ditto "	1 68	
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June 1903 C. H. Foss, labor		1 50
June 1903 G. H. Crosby, labor		2 65
May 1903 E. B. Frohock, labor	1 50	
July ditto "	1 50	
Dec. ditto "	52	
Jan. 1904 ditto "	3 60	
Feb. ditto "	1 72	
	<hr/>	8 84
June 1903 Albert Morrill, labor	75	
Oct. ditto "	75	
Nov. ditto "	1 05	
Dec. ditto "	30	
Jan. 1904 ditto "	3 00	
Feb. ditto "	2 70	
	<hr/>	8 55
Nov. 1903 J. M. Ames, labor		1 50
Nov. 1903 E. M. Whitney, labor	1 12	
Jan. 1904 ditto "	3 07	
Feb. ditto "	3 07	
	<hr/>	7 26
Dec. 1903 F. J. Potter, labor	1 50	
Jan. 1904 ditto "	3 15	
Feb. ditto "	1 50	
	<hr/>	6 15

Dec. 1903	C. H. Watson, labor	5	40	
Jan. 1904	ditto "	1	20	
Feb.	ditto "		30	
			<hr/>	6 90
Jan. 1904	C. W. Rollins, labor	1	20	
Feb.	ditto "	1	80	
			<hr/>	3 00
Jan. 1904	Albert Lamprey, labor	14	55	
Feb.	ditto "	9	29	
			<hr/>	23 84
Jan. 1904	W. E. Lamprey, labor	2	55	
Feb.	ditto "	3	22	
			<hr/>	5 77
May 1903	J. C. Follett, labor	3	00	
Dec.	ditto "	1	05	
Jan. 1904	ditto "	4	43	
Feb.	ditto "	3	15	
			<hr/>	11 63
May 1903	W. W. Watson, labor	1	50	
June	ditto "	1	50	
Dec.	ditto "	1	05	
Jan. 1904	ditto "	7	35	
Feb.	ditto "	3	75	
			<hr/>	15 15
May 1903	Frank Smith, labor		75	
Jan. 1904	ditto "	2	17	
Feb.	ditto "	1	05	
			<hr/>	3 97
May 1903	W. F. Morrill, labor	3	90	
June	ditto "	13	70	
Dec.	ditto "	1	05	
Jan. 1904	ditto "	11	92	
Feb.	ditto "	7	87	
			<hr/>	38 44
June 1903	W. S. Morrill, labor		60	
Jan. 1904	ditto "		45	
			<hr/>	1 05
June 1903	J. W. Eaton, labor			1 05

June 1903	Isaac Morrill, labor	75	
Dec.	ditto "	90	
Jan. 1904	ditto "	6 75	
Feb.	ditto "	2 10	
		-----	10 50
June 1903	G. F. Frohock, labor		5 85
June 1903	N. L. Ward, labor		7 50
June 1903	A. B. Sawyer, labor		2 80
June 1903	O. V. Rand, labor	7 95	
Jan. 1904	ditto "	3 45	
Feb.	ditto "	1 35	
		-----	12 75
Feb. 1904	H. A. Jones, labor		22

JOHN S. MORRILL,  
Highway Agent.

CHAS. O. COPP, Highway Agent, from Feb. 15  
to Mar. 11, 1903, in account with the town  
of Gilford.

# CASH RECEIVED.

Apr. 4, 1903	To cash received of town	\$175 17
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# CASH PAID OUT.

Feb. 1903	Chas O. Copp, labor	3 20
	ditto use of horses	2 20
	James Page, labor	1 65
	Isaac Morrill "	6 00
	C. W. Rollins "	5 63
	A. E. Lamprey, labor	5 32
	B. C. Glidden "	5 47
	M. A. Harris "	5 47
	W. I. Harris "	4 87
	A. H. Bacon "	90
	O. H. Weeks "	3 85
	Mrs. C. E. Morrill, labor	1 80
	J. P. Davis "	60



Feb. 1903	W. S. Marston	labor	60
	A. D. Bean	"	2 20
	David Hatch	"	15
	O. M. Sanborn	"	4 30
	G. O. Davis	"	2 85
	H. P. Weeks	"	2 50
	O. M. Emerson,	"	2 50
	A. Labranch	"	1 05
	W. F. Morrill	"	5 32
	E. P. Sawyer	"	60
	Warren Philfield	"	60
	Lillian Frohock	"	3 82
	H. L. Carr	"	4 94
	W. W. Watson	"	5 24
	W. E. Weeks	"	4 72
	B. E. Wadley	"	2 60
	J. S. Batchelder	"	5 85
	E. J. Batchelder	"	2 10
	Frank Quimby	"	3 75
	James Quimby	"	3 75
	F. B. Grant	"	5 55
	P. C. Dow	"	3 60
	J. S. Morrill	"	1 20
	S. E. Grant	"	2 25
	G. W. Lamprey	"	4 20
	J. L. Rollins	"	1 35
	J. F. Flanders	"	1 35
	B. Glidden	"	2 40
	W. W. Hobbs	"	1 70
	E. O. White	"	15
	D. P. Hoitt	"	90
	M. E. Durgin	"	1 90
	C. H. Watson	"	2 55
	F. J. Potter	"	6 00
	Alvah Willey	"	8 25
	L. M. James	"	2 70
	G. W. Allen	"	3 30

Feb. 1903	N. B. Boynton	labor	3 30
	J. L. Randlett	"	6 80
	A. B. Weeks	"	4 02
	W. H. Rowen	"	1 75
	G. W. Rundlett	"	1 15
	H. W. Johnson	"	2 40

CHAS. O. COPP, Highway Agent, from Mar. 11, 1903, to Feb. 15, 1904, in account with the town of Gilford.

## CASH RECEIVED.

Apr. 4, 1903	Received of Town	\$44 50
May 2	" "	22 72
20	" "	100 00
June 6	" "	64 05
July 3	" "	20 30
6	" "	41 25
Aug. 1	" "	39 30
Sept. 5	" "	24 15
Oct. 3	" "	11 24
Nov. 7	" "	19 11
Dec. 5	" "	46 50
Jan. 2, 1904	" "	21 63
Feb. 6	" "	153 95
15	" "	71 77
		----- \$680 47

## CASH PAID OUT.

May 20, 1903,	Elmer O. White, labor on highway, 2 men and 6 horses with road machine.	100 00
July 6	Elmer O. White, labor on highway, 2 men and 6 horses with road machine, and drawing bridge plank.	41 25
Feb. 15, 1904	C. H. Gove, smith work and J. G. Wadley, supplies.	4 80
		----- 146 05

Mar. 1903	Chas. O. Copp, agent	6 80
Apr.	" " " "	5 30
May	" " " "	20 60
June	" " " "	6 20
July	" " " "	10 80
Aug.	" " " "	4 00
Oct.	" " " "	3 00
Dec.	" " " "	4 50
Jan. 1904	" " " "	9 30
Feb.	" " " "	1 80

Mar. 1903	Chas. O. Copp, hand	2 25
Apr.	" " " "	3 00
May	" " " "	4 50
June	" " " "	3 15
July	" " " "	6 90
Aug.	" " " "	75

Apr. 1903	Chas. O. Copp, use of horses	2 00
July	" " " " "	1 00
Dec.	" " " " "	70
Jan. 1904	" " " " "	2 50
Feb.	" " " " "	1 20

Mar. 1903	A. H. Bacon, labor	37
May	" " " "	1 50
Dec.	" " " "	22
Jan. 1904	" " " "	4 50
Feb.	" " " "	90

Mar. 1903	O. H. Weeks, labor	2 57
May	" " " "	2 30
Dec.	" " " "	52
Jan. 1904	" " " "	8 25
Feb.	" " " "	2 10

72 30

20 55

7 40

7 49

15 74

Mar. 1903	A. E. Flanders, labor		45
Mar. 1903	W. E. Weeks, labor	1 05	
Apr.	" " " "	1 07	
Sept.	" " " "	1 05	
Nov.	" " " "	30	
Jan. 1904	" " " "	6 02	
Feb.	" " " "	1 05	
		<hr/>	10 54
Mar. 1903	C. H. Watson, labor		90
Mar. 1903	Alvah Willey, labor	3 30	
July	" " " "	3 30	
Sept.	" " " "	3 00	
Dec.	" " " "	60	
Jan. 1904	" " " "	3 30	
Feb.	" " " "	1 05	
Mar. 1903	N. B. Boynton "	3 30	
		<hr/>	17 85
Mar. 1903	G. W. Allen, labor	3 30	
July	" " " "	3 30	
Dec.	" " " "	60	
Jan. 1904	" " " "	3 30	
Feb.	" " " "	1 05	
		<hr/>	11 55
Mar. 1903	J. G. Randlett, labor	2 80	
Dec.	" " " "	1 65	
		<hr/>	4 45
Mar. 1903	W. Stark Weeks, labor		1 87
May 1903	W. S. Weeks "		75
Mar. 1903	C. Bedard "		1 25
Mar. 1903	A. Gill "		60
Mar. 1903	H. P. Weeks, labor	75	
Apr.	" " " "	75	
May	" " " "	4 45	
June	" " " "	1 50	
Oct.	" " " "	1 12	
Dec.	" " " "	1 42	
Feb. 1904	" " " "	10 95	
		<hr/>	20 94

Mar. 1903	O. M. Emerson, labor	75	
June	" " " "	1 50	
Dec.	" " " "	52	
Feb. 1904	" " " "	2 80	
		<hr/>	5 57
Mar. 1903	A. Labbranch, labor	1 05	
Dec.	" " " "	75	
Feb. 1904	" " " "	30	
		<hr/>	2 10
Mar. 1903	F. G. Smith, labor	60	
Dec.	" " " "	52	
Feb. 1904	" " " "	30	
		<hr/>	1 42
Mar. 1903	J. S. Batchelder, labor	4 65	
Apr.	" " " "	45	
May	" " " "	2 25	
Aug.	" " " "	2 75	
Nov.	" " " "	6 00	
Dec.	" " " "	3 00	
Jan. 1904	" " " "	16 80	
Feb.	" " " "	5 85	
		<hr/>	41 75
Mar. 1903	E. J. Batchelder, labor	1 65	
Apr.	" " " "	45	
May	" " " "	3 75	
June	" " " "	75	
Aug.	" " " "	2 25	
Sept.	" " " "	1 20	
Jan. 1904	" " " "	4 50	
Feb.	" " " "	2 25	
		<hr/>	16 80
Mar. 1903	Frank Quimby, labor	1 12	
May	" " " "	2 25	
Nov.	" " " "	6 30	
Jan. 1904	" " " "	3 30	
Feb.	" " " "	1 20	
		<hr/>	14 17

Mar. 1903	James Quimby, labor	1	12	
May	" " "	2	25	
Nov.	" " "	6	30	
Jan. 1904	" " "	3	30	
Feb.	" " "	1	20	
		<hr/>		14 17
Mar. 1903	A. B. Weeks, labor	1	25	
July	" " "	1	50	
Nov.	" " "	4	80	
Dec.	" " "		85	
Feb. 1904	" " "	14	20	
		<hr/>		22 60
Mar. 1903	L. E. Morrill, labor		75	
Apr.	" " "	1	50	
May	" " "		75	
July	" " "	1	35	
Sept.	" " "	3	37	
Oct.	" " "		97	
Nov.	" " "	2	40	
Dec.	" " "		52	
Jan. 1904	" " "	12	22	
Feb.	" " "	1	15	
		<hr/>		24 98
Apr. 1903	O. M. Sanborn, labor	1	05	
May	" " "	5	90	
Dec.	" " "		52	
Jan. 1904	" " "	7	85	
Feb.	" " "	1	75	
		<hr/>		17 07
Apr. 1903	A. D. Bean, labor	2	80	
May	" " "	2	20	
Jan. 1904	" " "	6	00	
Feb.	" " "	1	40	
		<hr/>		12 40
Apr. 1903	W. H. Weeks, labor	1	35	
Oct.	" " "	2	55	

Jan. 1904	W. H. Weeks, labor	7 72	
Feb.	" " "	2 55	
		<hr/>	14 17
Apr. 1903	B. E. Wadley, labor	3 00	
May	" " "	1 05	
Dec.	" " "	35	
Jan. 1904	" " "	17 27	
Feb.	" " "	2 15	
		<hr/>	23 82
May 1903	Seldon Ladd, labor	75	
June	" " "	1 20	
		<hr/>	1 95
May 1903	F. O. Sanborn, labor		2 10
May 1903	J. M. Weeks, labor	3 20	
Jan. 1904	" " "	1 50	
		<hr/>	4 70
May 1903	W. E. Hoyt, labor		75
May 1903	G. W. Rundlett, labor	2 75	
July	" " "	1 40	
Nov.	" " "	3 60	
Jan. 1904	" " "	2 90	
		<hr/>	10 65
June 1903	W. H. Rowen, labor	4 80	
July	" " "	5 25	
Aug.	" " "	4 25	
Nov.	" " "	3 30	
		<hr/>	17 60
June 1903	J. P. Davis, labor	1 20	
Sept.	" " "	2 25	
		<hr/>	3 45
July 1903	Lawrence Foss, labor	1 50	
Dec.	" " "	75	
Feb. 1904	" " "	75	
		<hr/>	3 00
July 1903	L. M. James, labor	3 00	
Dec.	" " "	2 30	

Jan. 1904	L. M. James, labor	7 55	
Feb.	" " "	2 50	
		<hr/>	15 35
Aug. 1903	E. O. White, labor	3 50	
Nov.	" " "	6 50	
		<hr/>	10 00
Aug. 1903	William Gingrass, labor	6 65	
Jan. 1904	" " "	95	
		<hr/>	7 60
Sept. 1903	David Hatch, labor	37	
Jan. 1904	" " "	15	
		<hr/>	52
Oct. 1903	W. W. Hobbs, labor		9 45
Oct. 1903	J. W. Swain, labor		2 02
Nov. 1903	A. D. White, labor		5 00
Nov. 1903	F. A. Durrill, labor		2 00
Dec. 1903	H. W. Johnson, labor	22	
Jan. 1904	" " "	2 10	
Feb.	" " "	2 40	
		<hr/>	4 72
Dec. 1903	Frank Glidden, labor	22	
Jan. 1904	" " "	4 20	
Feb.	" " "	60	
		<hr/>	5 02
Dec. 1903	C. E. Lougee, labor		45
Dec. 1903	D. P. Hoitt, labor	45	
Jan. 1904	" " "	90	
Feb.	" " "	22	
		<hr/>	1 57
Jan. 1904	H. F. Bacon, labor	11 70	
Feb.	" " "	1 65	
		<hr/>	13 35
Jan. 1904	M. E. Durgin, labor	1 60	
Feb.	" " "	75	
		<hr/>	2 35
Jan. 1904	J. H. Blaisdell, labor	1 87	
Feb.	" " "	90	
		<hr/>	2 77



Jan. 1904 Fred Bennett, labor	30
Jan. 1904 Fred Colby, labor	2 10

CHARLES O. COPP, Highway Agent.

We, the undersigned, auditors of Gilord, have examined the foregoing accounts of the highway agents of said town and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GUST A. COPP,  
CHAS. E. SLEEPER,  
AUDITORS.

# Report of Town Clerk.

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To the Selectmen of the Town of Gilford :

The following is an account of the money collected by me for dog licenses issued by me, for the year commencing May 1, 1903 :

68 male dogs, at \$2.00	\$136 00
12 female dogs, at \$5.00	60 00
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	\$196 00
Less fees deducted by Town Clerk, 80 licenses at .20	16 00
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Paid Town Treasurer	\$180 00

Respectfully submitted,

HERBERT A. JONES,  
Town Clerk.

We, the undersigned, auditors of Gilford, have examined the foregoing accounts of the Town Clerk of said town and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GUST A. COPP,  
CHAS. E. SLEEPER,  
Auditors.

# Library Report.

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To the Citizens of the Town of Gilford :

The trustees of the Gilford public library beg leave to present their annual report together with that of the treasurer of library funds for the year ending Feb. 15, 1904.

The record kept by the librarian shows that the library now contains 1,237 volumes; added since last report, 23 volumes. The total number of books loaned the past year has been 2,154 classed as follows: Fiction, 2,084; history, 14; general literature, 6; travels, 18; art, 1; biography, 24; poetry, 3; juvenile fiction, 4. Largest number of books loaned in any one day, 43. Fifteen new names have been added to the list of patrons of the library during the year. Only a few of the new books ordered have been received; a bill of some \$55 worth not having arrived in season for this year's report. We have had 86 volumes of books rebound, this having been the accumulation of several years. We do not think that our people as a whole are over careless in the handling of books, but some practices might here be mentioned which are very ruinous to the bindings: The dropping of books; laying them down flat while open; the shutting in of pencils, matches and other things like these for marks, all tend to get them quickly out of binding. As the charges for rebinding are some 30 or 40 per cent of the cost of the books, it behooves us to take as good care of them as possible, thus giving us more of our appropriation for the purchase of new books.

A very handsome oak table has been presented to the library, through the efforts of our librarian, Mrs. Gill, and some of the lady patrons of the library.

It has long been a question with your trustees as to how to provide the library with a good encyclopedia. Such a work has been repeatedly called for, but your trustees did not feel like using any part of your appropriation (which has been quite liberal) for this purpose. Mrs. Ethel Jewett has at last solved the question, which we think in time will result in giving us the desired collection of books. She has deposited with your trustees the sum of \$5 (the same being the surplus proceeds of an entertainment

given by her school.) This is to be known as the Gilford School fund for the Purchase of an Encyclopedia for use in the library. It is hoped that other donations will soon swell this fund to the amount required. Your trustees wish to here publicly thank all those who have contributed to the welfare of the library during the past year.

HERBERT A. JONES,  
PERRY E. HUNT,  
WALTER S. WEEKS,  
Trustees.

TREASURER OF THE BOARD OF LIBRARY TRUSTEES  
IN ACCOUNT WITH LIBRARY FUNDS.

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1903.	To cash on hand from last year	\$ 22 22
May 30,	" " from Town of Gilford	25 00
Oct. 20,	" " " Mrs. Gill, fines, etc.	2 25
1904.		
Feb. 15,	" " " Town of Gilford	75 00
	" " " Mrs. Gill, fines, etc.	3 63
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		\$128 10

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1903.			
Mar. 14,	By paid H. A. Jones, supplies	\$ 68	
	" " A. Gill, labor	40	
	" " C. H. Gove, making book-case	5 00	
July 6,	" " F. A. Young, insurance	4 00	
Oct. 20,	" " H. A. Jones, supplies	1 04	
	" " for rebinding 86 vols.	21 80	
	" " freight on books	29	
Feb. 15,	" " H. A. Jones, supplies	95	
	" " Olin S. Davis for books	16 00	
	" cash on hand	77 94	
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		\$128 10	

To received of Mrs. H. A.  
Jewett to start a fund for  
the purchase of a set ency-  
clopedias \$5 00

PERRY E. HUNT,  
Treas. Library Trustees.

We, the undersigned, Auditors of Gilford, have examined the  
foregoing accounts of the Treasurer of the Library Trustees of  
said town and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

GUST A. COPP,  
CHAS. E. SLEEPER,  
Auditors.

# School Report.

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## SCHOOL DISTRICT OFFICERS.

Moderator, Thomas E. Hunt.

District Clerk, Mrs. Ethel N. Jewett.

School Board, Daniel H. Rowe, Julia A. Gove, Rosa M. Sanders.

Treasurer, Herbert A. Jones..

Auditors, Charles P. Hunt, Addie L. Eaton.

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The Truant Officer has enrolled 103 scholars in the October enumeration. As usual we maintained eight schools of twenty-two weeks each, divided into spring and fall terms; also a winter term of ten weeks for the more advanced scholars. We have employed teachers of experience, who have in our opinion done good work. We were obliged to purchase new second and third readers, as the old ones were worn out. For further information we refer you to the following table :



### ROLL OF PERFECT ATTENDANCE.

District No. 1. Spring term. Etta M. Ames, Nellie K. Bean, Elwin H. Batchelder, Roscoe E. Batchelder, Ellen C. Sawyer, Emery A. Sawyer, Clarence E. Sawyer, Maurice W. Sawyer, John L. Sawyer, Chester R. Warner.

Fall term. Roscoe E. Batchelder, Elwin H. Batchelder, Charlie O. Roberts, Harvey E. Rand, Clarence E. Sawyer.

District No. 3. Spring term. Claude R. Batchelder, Leon O. Davis, Almer G. Davis, Sam. L. Grant.

Fall term. Almer G. Davis, Villie L. Grant, Louis F. Harris.

District No. 5. Spring term. Clarence W. Jones, John Jones, Theron Tracy, Lela M. Felch, Ella M. Tracy.

Fall term. Maurice Jewett, John Jones, Theron Tracy, Rebecca Jewett, Ella Tracy, Ethel Tracy.

District No. 6. Spring term. Hedwidge J. Gonyer, Ida V. Wilkinson, Fred Leonard Gonyer, Henry J. Gonyer.

Fall term. Hedwidge J. Gonyer, Jack Locke, Julian T. Locke, Gladys M. Locke.

District No. 8. Forrest E. Dockham.

Fall term. Marion G. Bartlett, Inez E. Foss, Gladys G. Leavitt, Laurence H. Bartlett, Forrest E. Dockham, E. Dockham, Ray E. Dockham.

Winter term. John Jones, Forrest E. Dockham, Harvey E. Rand, Arthur Ward, Carl Wallace. Ethel Bennett, Ines E. Foss, Mamie Heath, Gladys G. Leavitt, Annie Parker, Ethel Tracy.



# SCHOOL BOARD AND TREASURER'S REPORT.

## Cash Received from all Sources.

Cash on hand Feb. 15, 1903, for schools	\$ 192 63
" " " for general repairs	27 33
" from town school tax	1,026 00
" " district raised for repairs	250 00
" " dog license tax, 1902	140 02
" " state literary money	75 52
" " town literary money	33 60
	<hr/> \$1,745 10

## Cash Paid Out.

### Teachers' Wages, Spring Term.

Paid Mrs. Addie L. Eaton	60 50
Ethel N. Jewett	77 00
E. Alice Weeks	60 50
Minnie P. Morrill	60 50
Clara F. Daley	60 00
Rosa M. Sanders	66 00
Bertha A. Cole	66 00
Sarah J. Morse	60 00
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### Fall Term.

Paid Addie L. Eaton	60 50
Minnie P. Morrill	60 50
E. Alice Weeks	60 50
Sarah J. Morse	66 00
Rosa M. Sanders	66 00
Bertha A. Cole	66 00
Clara F. Daley	72 00
Ethel N. Jewett	77 00
Winter term, Ethel N. Jewett	80 00
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### Conveying Scholars.

Paid Chas. E. Sleeper	26 40
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Paid Chas. H. Collins	22 00	
J. A. Leavitt	17 60	
J. D. Colby	8 80	
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### GENERAL REPAIRS.

Paid Thos. J. Guay, repairs in No. 3 school house as per contract.	\$245 00
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### MISCELLANEOUS BILLS.

Paid J. N. Ames funnel, damper and labor No. 2.	\$ 1 45
D. H. Rowe 200 Enumeration cards	80
D. H. Rowe 100 certificates of perfect attendance	1 25
D. H. Rowe 1-2 cord dry wood, sawed and housed No. 8.	3 50
F. P. Wilkinson 1 cord wood, cleaning yard and shed No. 6.	8 00
Ansel F. Gove 1 cord wood sawed and housed No. 5.	5 50
Rosa M. Sanders cash paid cleaning house No. 3.	50
D. M. Rowe advertising for bids for repairs No. 3.	1 50
A. Labranche 1 cord wood sawed and housed No. 10.	3 00
A. F. Gove 1 sheet zinc, collars and tacks No. 5.	1 60
D. H. Rowe painting blackboards and setting glass	1 50
J. S. Sanders 1 1-4 cord wood fitted and housed No. 1.	5 00
Forrest E. Dockham janitor spring term No. 8.	2 00
G. B. Sanders 1 cord wood fitted and housed No. 1.	4 50

Paid D. H. Rowe funnel and elbow and labor No. 9.	1	33
D. H. Rowe curtain No. 8.		35
D. H. Rowe, 1-4 cord wood and kindlings, No. 8	1	75
Rosa M. Sanders, expense of telegraph and telephone	1	05
O. H. Weeks, 1-2 cord wood, No. 9	2	50
Forrest E. Dockham, janitor, fall term	2	50
F. B. Grant, 2 cords wood, No. 3	10	00
Osgood & Co., cleaning clock, No. 8		75
J. G. Hatch, 1 3-4 cords slab wood, winter term	4	38
Julia A. Gove, 8 shades, No. 5	2	00
Julia A. Gove, supplies	4	56
Stark G. Morrill, janitor, winter term	5	00
Stark G. Morrill, sawing wood	1	20
Julia A. Gove, 10 window shades, No. 8	2	50
N. L. Ward, sawing wood		50
R. C. Morrill, 1 cord wood	5	00
H. A. Jones, 1 ink jug, 1 lb. nails		39
Rosa M. Sanders, 1 key, No. 3		35
D. H. Rowe, brush and hooks, No. 8		20
H. W. Johnson, 3 1-2 cords wood	14	50
J. G. Wadley, supplies	3	00
D. H. Rowe, postage and cash paid out		45
		<hr/> \$104 36

SUMMARY.

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Cash received from all sources	\$1,745 10
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Paid teachers' wages	\$1,125 00
conveying scholars	74 80
miscellaneous bills	104 36
general repairs	245 00
Cash in treasury for repairs, Feb. 15, 1904	32 33
Cash in treasury Feb. 15, 1904, for schools	163 61
	—————\$1,745 10

HERBERT A. JONES,  
Treasurer.

DANIEL H. ROWE,  
JULIA A. GOVE,  
ROSA M. SANDERS,  
School Board.

I have examined the accounts of the Treasurer and School Board of Gilford town school district and find them correctly cast and vouched.

CHAS. P. HUNT,  
Auditor.

# Vital Statistics.

To the *Selectmen of Gilford*.—Agreeably to Sec. 4, Chap. 43, of the Public Statutes, I herewith submit a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths for the year ending December 31, 1903 and certify that it is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

HERBERT A. JONES, Town Clerk.

## Births Registered in the Town of Gilford for the year ending December 31, 1903

Date of Birth	Name of Child (if any)	Sex		No. of Child, Ist, 2d, &c.	Color		Maiden Name of Mother	Color		Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father and Mother	
		Male	Female		White	Color		White	Color				
Jan 31	Everett J	M	L	1	All white		Nellie M Leavitt			Gilford	Farmer	Gilford Mass	Loudon
Feb 23	Mildred B	F	"	1			Grace B Bryant			"	Farmer	Ashbury Mass	Northwood
Mar 12	Elmer F	M	"	4			Maud I Marshall			Br'k'n M's	Farmer	Brockton Mass	Alton
" 23	"	F	"	5			Jennie O Woodman			Gilford	Farmer	Sanbornton	Sanbornton
Apr 17	Evelyn M	F	"	1			Mary L Taylor			Gilford	Farmer	Sandwich	Sanbornton
" 19	Ruth E	M	"	1			Ella Dagwell			Gilford	Farmer	Gilford	Flatbush N Y
June 24	Henry Wm	M	"	4			Augusta M Taylor			Gilford	Farmer	New Hampton	Sanbornton
July 23	Neyer Ella	F	"	4			Ella J Fisher			Gilford	Carpenter	Lowell Mass	Boscawen
Aug 14	Alice May	F	"	1			Mary Thomas			Gilford	Farmer	Meredith	Gilmanton
Sept 18	Esther M	F	"	1			Winnifred A Page			Gilford	Dairyman	Gilford	Lowell Mass
Nov 30	James A	M	"	7			Alice J Adams			Gilford	RR employee	Rochester	Gilford
Dec 17	Gladys I	F	"	2			Bertha M Flanders			Gilford	Farmer	Gilford	Lyndonville Vt
" 19	Harriet E	F	"	5			Elizabeth Lupien			Gilford			

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Gilford for the year ending December 31, 1903

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age in Years	Color of Each	Occupat'n of Groom and Bride	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Occupat'n	Marriage	Name, residence, and official station of person by whom married
Mar 24	Gilford	Geo W Wallace Ella Dagwell	Gilford Laconia	19 22		Box maker Housew'rk	Gilford	Chas W Wallace Ida M Gilman John Dagwell Alice	N'le mak'r Housewife	1 1	1 Rev W H Getchell Laconia
Aug 19	Gilford	Severn Tyler Carrie R Thomas	Phila Penn Stoughton M's	33 31		Clerk Teacher	Onancock Va Putnam Conn	George Tyler Mary A Adair James S Thomas Fannie D Drake	Physician Clergyman	1 1	1 Rev J S Thomas Stoughton Mass
Sept 19	Laconia	Geo W Rundlett Jenny N Fifield	Gilford Tilton	78 56	All white	Farmer	Gilmanston Alexandria	Jonathan Rundlett Jemima Potter Joseph Farham Cyrene D Wells	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife	2 2	2 Rev W H Getchell Laconia
Dec 2	Weirs	Curtis Leavitt Minnie Lebreque	Gilford Laconia	28 23		Laborer Mill oper'r	Gilford Canada	John P Leavitt Dorothy Brown	Farmer Housewife Housew'p'r Laborer	2 1	2 Rev G W Jones Laconia
Dec 22	M'dis'n Me	William S Weeks Grace L Harding	Gilford Madison Me	30 33		Farmer Teacher	Gilford Madison Me	William H Weeks Mary G Potter Daniel W Harding Ellen L Pettingill	Farmer Housewife Farmer Housewife	2 1	2 Rev H P Hofstead Anson Me

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Gilford for the Year ending December 31, 1903

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age		Place of Birth	Sex	Color	Single, Widowed, Married	Occupation	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother
		Years	Months, Days									
Mar 28	John D Thompson	49	5 0	Tuftonborough	M	All white	S	Farmer	Gilford	Gilford	Wm W Thomps'n	Isabelle Davis
Apr 20	Jennie P Colby	35	2 9	Sanbornton	F	F	M	Housewife	Sanbornton	Sanbornton	St'ph'n Wo'dm'n	Elizabeth Smith
June 13	John A Wilkinson	72	2 23	Gilford	F	F	S	Pap'r'y'xmkr	Gilford	Gilford	J R Wilkison	Leah A Randlett
June 16	John A Robinson	81	8 11	Washington D C	M	F	S	Farmer	Norwich Conn	Cuba	Wm C Robinson	Ullima M Smith
July 7	Levi D Sawyer	75	5 3	Gilford	M	M	M	Farmer	Gilford	Gilford	Israel Sawyer	Miriam Davis
Aug 7	Albert M McDuffee	45	4 3	Alton	M	M	M	Butcher	Alton	Gilford	Henry McDuffee	Ella J Morrill
Aug 30	Aaron W Young	58	8 7	Alton	M	M	M	Farmer	Alton	Ossipee	Henry Young	Sarah Upton
Oct 30	Sarah J Blaisdell	83	4 22	Gilford	F	F	M	Housewife	Gilford	Gilford	Joseph Potter Jr	Polly Marston
Nov 12	George A Sanders	52	2 20	Gilford	M	M	M	Manufact'r	Gilford	Gilford	Geo W Sanders	Sarah Smith











